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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING CLASSIFIER FEATURES WITH MINIMAL SUPERVISION

naming as inventor: Alpha Kamchiu Luk

and including:

- [X] (11) pages of description (before the claims);
- [X] (3) pages of claims ((8) total claims; (6) independent claims);
- [X] One (1) Sheet of Abstract;
- [X] (5) sheets of drawing(s) including Figures 1 to 5.

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- [X] executed Declaration
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This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) to U.S. Provisional Application No.___, filed ___, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

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